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Tokano language

Tokano is a Trans-New Guinea language spoken by approximately 6,000 people in Lower Asaro Rural LLG, Eastern Highlands Province, Papua New Guinea. It is also known as *Gamuso*, *Tokama*, *Yufiyufa*, *Zaka*, *Zuhozuho*, and *Zuhuzuho*.

There are currently few publications. A collection of folk tales translated by John Guhise was produced by SIL in 1977,[3][4] and there are also portions of the Bible available in Tokano.

Tokano	
Native to	Papua New Guinea
Region	Lower Asaro Rural LLG, Goroka District, Eastern Highlands Province
Native speakers	(6,000 cited 1982)[1]
Language family	Trans-New Guinea ▪ Kainantu–Goroka ▪ Goroka ▪ Gahuku ▪ **Tokano**
Dialects	Lower Asaro Zuhuzuho
Writing system	Latin
Language codes	
ISO 639-3	`zuh`
Glottolog	`toka1244 (http://glottolog.org/resource/languoid/id/toka1244)`[2]

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External links

- Open Language Archives (http://www.language-archives.org/language/zuh)

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